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Speaker Bio:

Carrie Speranza, CEM, is the Director of Emergency Management Solutions at Esri where she is responsible for industry-wide strategic initiatives, globally. She serves as Chair of the FEMA National Advisory Council, President of IAEM-USA, and is an advisory board member for the Private Sector Emergency Management Association.

Prior to joining Esri, Carrie was Deputy Director for the District of Columbia's Homeland Security and Emergency Management Agency. She has deployed in support of post-hurricane disaster relief efforts for multiple hurricanes and worked as the Deputy Agency Administrator and Executive Command Staff in response to multiple civil unrest emergencies, extreme weather emergencies, and over two dozen National Special Security Events. Carrie was the senior executive overseeing the District's Emergency Operations Center during the United States Capitol Attack on January 6, 2021.

Carrie is a graduate of the National Emergency Management Executive Academy, and in 2021, was selected for IAEM-USA Region 3's Top 40 Under 40.

Presentation:

A Conversation on Resiliency

Joining FEMA Administrator, Deanne Criswell in this plenary session on resiliency is Nic Hunter, Mayor of Lake Charles, Louisiana. This session will be moderated by IAEM-USA President, Carrie Speranza, CEM.